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THE DENTISTS (EXTENSION OF TIME) ORDINANCE, 1950 ORDINANCE No. XVI OF 1950

An Ordinance to provide for the extension of time limit in certain cases under the Dentists Act, 1948, and for matters connected therewith.

WHEREAS Parliament is not in session, and the President is satisfied that circumstances exist which render it necessary for him to take immediate action;

Now, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (1) of article 128 of the Constitution, the President is pleased to promulgate the following Ordinance:—

1. Short title and commencement.—(1) This Ordinance may be called the Dentists (Extension of Time) Ordinance, 1950.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. Extension of time limit in section 46 and section 49, Act XVI of 1948.—During the period of operation of this Ordinance, the Dentists Act, 1948 (hereinafter referred to as the said Act), shall have effect as if in sub-section (3) of section 46 and sub-section (1) of section 49, for the words "two years" there had always been substituted the words "three years".

3. Validation of certain appointments.—No appointment held by a person as a dentist between the 29th day of March, 1950 and the commencement of this Ordinance shall be invalid merely because such appointment has been held in contravention of the provisions of sub-section (3) of section 46 of the said Act.

4. Bar of proceedings.—No proceedings shall be commenced or continued against any person under sub-section (2) of section 49 of the said Act in respect of any contravention committed, before the commencement of this Ordinance, of the provisions of sub-section (1) of the said section.

RAJENDRA PRASAD,
President.

K. V. K. SUNDARAM,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.